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The United States Peace Corps program in the Philippines seeks qualified candidates for the following position for a **three to four (3-4) months service**

COASTAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL/ CROSS-CULTURAL FACILITATOR (3 positions) (Code: CRM TCF)

TYPE OF CONTRACT: Personal Services Contract
June - September 2016

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION:

With guidance from the Training Manager and CRM Sector Manager, the CRM Technical/Cultural Facilitator (CRM-TCF) is directly responsible for: (1) planning and conducting technical training on Coastal Resource Management for Peace Corps Trainees in the Philippines; and (2) providing instructions and advice on life and cultural adaptation in the Philippines.

Her/his primary responsibility is to equip American Trainees with the necessary knowledge and skills to effectively work with local government units and the fishing communities in developing and implementing coastal resource management plans and programs. Specific skill/knowledge areas include: coastal resource assessments, marine protected area management, legal framework/policies on integrated coastal management, capacity building, environmental education, community organizing and organizational development.

The TCF works in close collaboration with other staff to ensure successful and effective coordination of all training activities and support to American Trainees. S/he is required to follow a six-day workweek, with extended working hours until the evening, as may be necessary. CRM TCFs report to the Training Manager, the Director for Programming & Training (DPT), and the CRM Sector Manager (SM).

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Degree in fisheries/coastal resource management (CRM), environmental science, community development (with focus on coastal communities) or equivalent experience
- Minimum of one-year community-based work experience in a coastal resource management project
- Prior satisfactory to excellent work experience with the US Peace Corps, or any similar organization, an advantage.
- Understanding of tools / methodologies in coastal/marine assessments and participatory community development processes
- Clear grasp of CRM concepts and processes



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- Familiarity with the concept and processes of community organizing, capacity building, networking and organizational development
- Demonstrates cross cultural communication skills
- Understanding of the Adult Learning Model and Experiential Education techniques;
- Hardworking, responsible, flexible and a good team player
- Proficient in English and in Filipino
- Excellent computer skills

REQUIREMENTS:

- Willing to live in a barangay together with Trainees and other training staff;
- Willing to participate in a Training of Trainers course;
- Holder of an NBI Clearance;
- Physically fit to work long hours;
- Willing to work for 3-4 months in Luzon or in the Visayas

COMPENSATION:

- Competitive daily rate
- SSS contribution
- Travel allowance to and from Manila (for staff coming from outside NCR, & outside of nearby provinces such as Laguna, Cavite & Antipolo)
- Lodging provision in Manila and at Training sites in Bataan (for staff coming from outside NCR, & outside of nearby provinces such as Laguna, Cavite & Antipolo)
- Communication allowance

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Send your application letter and resume to pstvacancy@ph.peacecorps.gov, in pdf format of not more than 5 MB. **Impt: CV should include three (3) character references, one of whom should be a former supervisor at work. Please provide complete name, designation, company, contact number and correct/current email address for all character references.** ID picture is not a requirement in the application. Please do not email documents that are not asked for.

Accepting applications until position is filled. Only selected candidates will be contacted for an interview. Thank you.